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FOLDING SYSTEM FOR A CUTTING BLADE
Filed: March 27, 1998
Our Docket: 857-2Attached please find an Amendment Transmittal and Preliminary Amendment
for the above-referenced application.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
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GROUP 3200**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application
as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Please cancel claims 1-9 without prejudice.

Please add the following new claims:

Sub B 10. (New) A metallic ribbon stock folding apparatus comprising:
a transferring unit for transfer of ribbon stock through a passage formed by a
guide, said passage defining a longitudinal axis;

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